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REFERENCE TO:

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MILITARY ACTIVITY
TINDOUF, ALGERIA

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1. SIGNIFICANCE: CONTINUATION OF MILITARY ACTIVITY NEAR THE ALGERIAN/
MOROCCAN BORDER.

2. LOCATION: IN WESTERN ALGERIA, APPROXIMATELY 14 NM SE OF THE
DISPUTED MOROCCAN/ALGERIAN BORDER AT 2742N-0808W.

3. REMARKS: FOLLOWING AN ARMED CONFLICT BETWEEN ALGERIA AND
MOROCCO OVER THE DISPUTED AREA IN OCTOBER OF 1963,
ALGERIA EMBARKED UPON AN EXTENSIVE MILITARY BUILD-UP
WITH THE ASSISTANCE OF THE SOVIET UNION. INCLUDED
IN THE ALGERIAN INVENTORY OF SOVIET EQUIPMENT ARE
MEDIUM TANKS, SP GUNS, BEAGLE BOMBERS, MIG AIRCRAFT,
AND KOMAR BOATS. (SECRET [Redacted])

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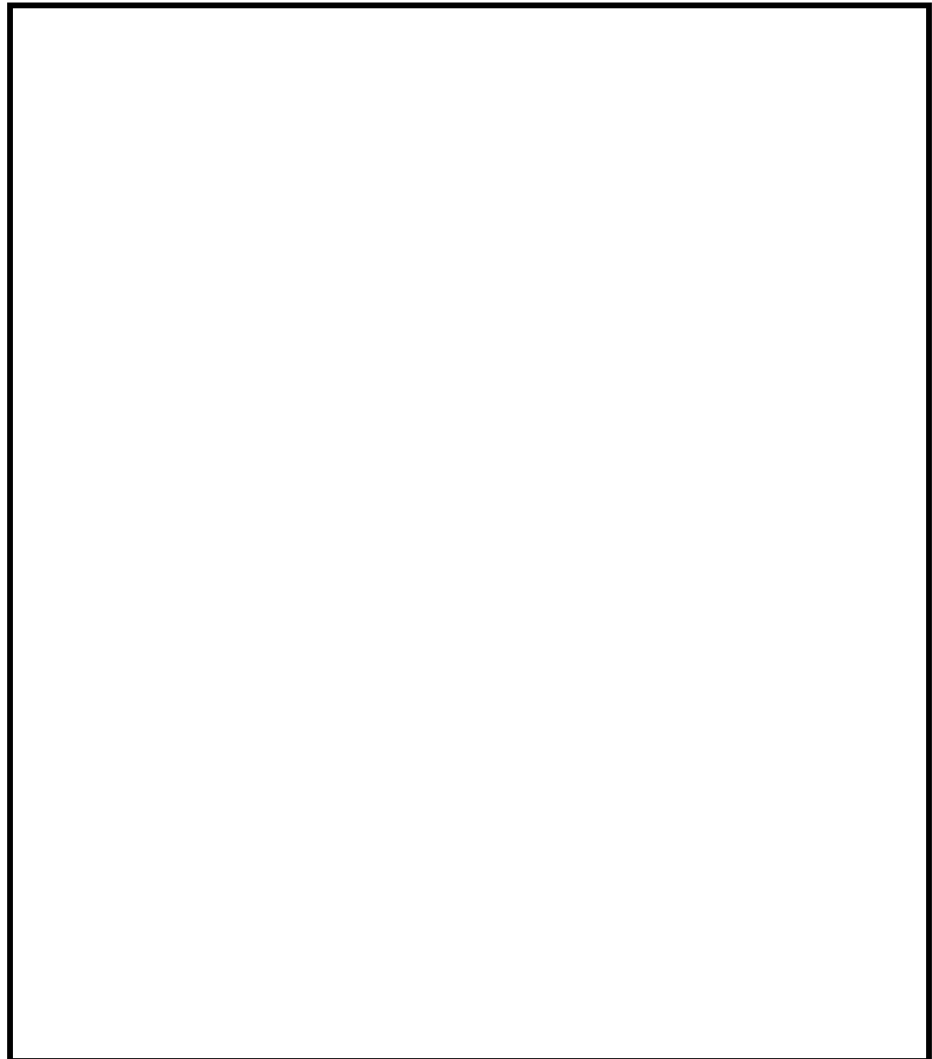


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5. FIRST IDENTIFICATION: [REDACTED] PROVIDED FIRST SYSTEM COVERAGE OF THE INSTALLATION.

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6. NEGATION DATE: NONE

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7. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE:

4 KH-7 AND [Redacted]

8. DIMENSIONS/
SPECIFICATIONS:

TINDOUF AIRFIELD RUNWAY - 7750 x 100 FT E/W
PIERCED STEEL PLANKING SERVICEABLE.

9. MISSION READOUT:

[Redacted]

REVEALS CONSIDERABLE ROAD

CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY AND HEAVY ENGINEERING CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT ON ROAD FROM TINDOUF TO AIRFIELD AND EAST OF AIRFIELD. PROBABLE MILITARY GUARD CAMPS SITED PARALLEL TO AND NORTH OF ROAD CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY. CONSTRUCTION HAS BEEN CONTINUOUS ON ARTILLERY GUN EMPLACEMENTS, DEFENSIVE POSITIONS, AND ENTRENCHMENTS SINCE [Redacted] PREVIOUSLY REPORTED 8 PROBABLE 57/85 MM AAA GUNS HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM THE TINDOUF AREA. A TENT CAMP APPROXIMATELY 2 NM WEST OF TOWN CONTAINS 62 TENTS. A PROBABLE TANK/ASSAULT GUN FIRING RANGE U/C IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 1.1 NM NE OF TINDOUF. (NOT SHOWN ON GRAPHIC)

OB: 4 PROBABLE 122 MM CORPS GUNS, 6 PROBABLE 122 MM HOWITZER, 4 PROBABLE AT-T TRACK PRIME MOVERS, 48 CARGO TRUCKS, AND 5 U/I VEHICLES IN GARRISON AREA.

2 POSSIBLE TANKS IN WADI APPROXIMATELY 5 NM EAST FROM TINDOUF.

9 PROBABLE TRACKED VEHICLES APPROXIMATELY 1 NM SOUTH FROM TINDOUF.

CONSIDERABLE TRACK VEHICLE ACTIVITY SOUTH AND EAST OF TINDOUF.

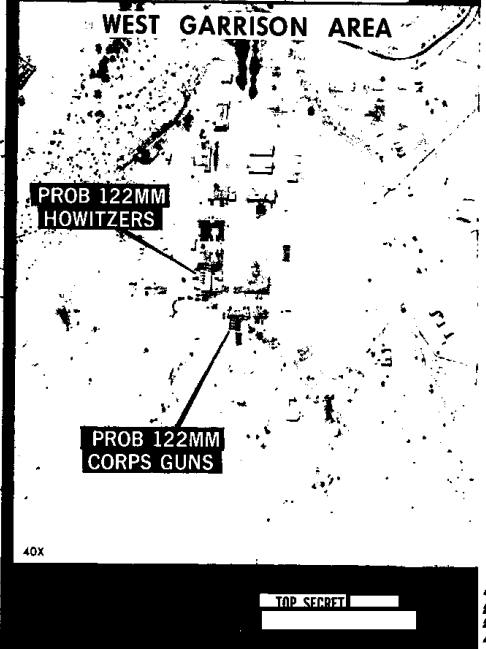
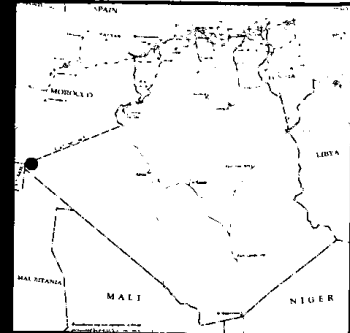
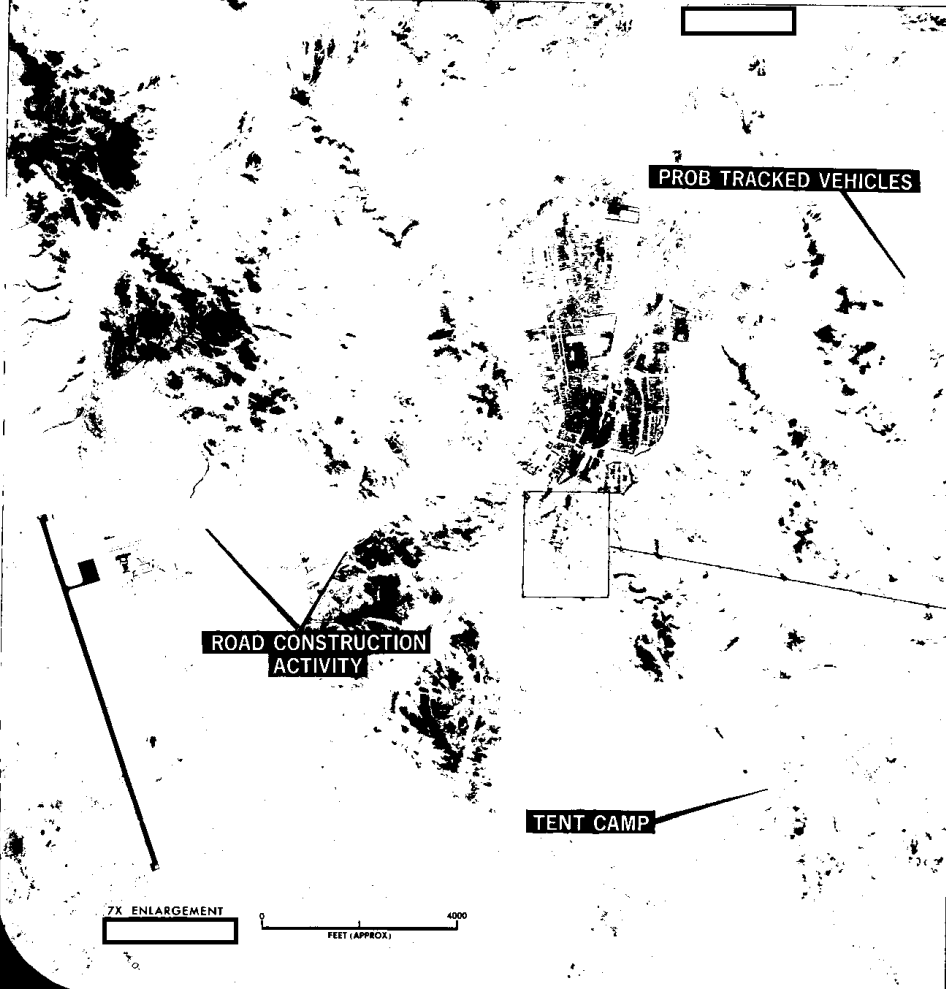
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